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Scott M. Turner, Esq.
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Re: Seneca Meadows, Inc. Chapter 185 Permit

Dear Mr. Turner:

Please be advised that the undersigned represents the Town of Seneca Falls. As you are aware, the Town of Seneca Falls has been reviewing the application submitted by Seneca Meadows, Inc. for renewal of their permit to operate a landfill under Chapter 185 of the Seneca Falls Town Code. Section 185-5(E)(1) allows the Town to impose conditions on the operation of any landfill “as may be necessary to protect public health, safety, welfare or the environment.” The same section goes on to state that such conditions may address odor, air quality and environmental monitoring.

By this letter, the Town of Seneca Falls is imposing the following conditions on the 2020 Chapter 185 Permit:

1. Present a plan to demonstrate that SMI is in consistent and recurring in compliance with the Air Quality Standards for Hydrogen Sulfide as set out in 6 NYCRR 257-5. This condition will be satisfied upon submission of a plan that is found to be acceptable to the Town.
2. Provide financial assistance to the Town in the amount of \$20,000.00 to the Town to help to set up the current “It Stinks” website into a smart phone application. This would then be used to collect data regarding the odor impacts of your client’s landfill operation.

Please feel welcome to contact this office to discuss this matter. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Patrick J. Morrell

Cc: Mr. Greg MacLean
DEC Region 8 Materials Management Engineer